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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAFAYETTE-OPELOUSAS DIVISION

SONTHEIMER OFFSHORE/CATERING CO., INC.
LEXINGTON INS. CO.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 05-1856

Plaintiffs/Counter-defendants

VS.

JUDGE HAIK

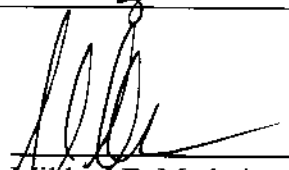
PSC INDUSTRIAL OUTSOURCING, INC.
Defendant/Counter-claimant
KERR-MCGEE OIL & GAS CORP.
Counter-claimant

MAGISTRATE JUDGE METHVIN

JURISDICTIONAL AMOUNT REVIEW RULING

This diversity case was filed directly in federal court under 28 U.S.C. § 1332, alleging an amount in controversy exceeding \$250,000.00. A review of the Complaint shows that the requisite jurisdictional amount has been established. Accordingly, no additional briefing is required.

Signed at Lafayette, Louisiana on May 30th, 2006.


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